

LORDS AMENDMENTS

TO THE

PHARMACY ACT (IRELAND) (1875)  
AMENDMENT BILL.

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NOTE.—The page and line refer to Bill (172.) as first printed  
by the Lords.

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Page 1.

Line 1, leave out the preamble.

Line 5, leave out ("therefore")

Leave out lines 22 and 23.

Line 29, leave out from ("maintain") to ("and") in line 32,  
and insert ("complete lists, to be called 'the register of  
" 'chemists and druggists and the register of registered  
" 'druggists in Ireland,' containing the names of all persons  
" who have made application to be registered and are entitled  
" to be registered as chemists and druggists and registered  
" druggists respectively under the provisions of this Act")

Page 2.

Line 2, leave out ("register") and insert ("registers")

Line 5, leave out ("compounding") and insert ("mixing")

Line 7, leave out from ("prescriptions") to the end of the  
clause

Line 11, leave out from ("who") to ("shall") in line 16, and  
insert ("was practising as such in Ireland as a principal at  
" the passing of the principal Act")

Line 32, leave out sub-section (4) and insert—

(4.) Notwithstanding the provisions of section thirty-one of  
the principal Act, no person shall be entitled to keep open  
shop for the selling, retailing, or mixing of poisons by  
reason that he was a chemist and druggist practising as  
such in Ireland on his own account at the time of the  
passing of the principal Act, unless he shall be registered  
as a chemist and druggist under this Act.

[Bill 412.]

A

After clause 6 insert clause (A).

Chemists or  
druggists in  
business  
before pass-  
ing of Act  
entitled to be  
registered.

(A.) Every chemist and druggist, or chemist or druggist, who has gone into business as a principal after the passing of the principal Act and before the passing of this Act, shall be entitled to be registered as a druggist on complying with the following provisions :—

- (1.) He shall, on or before the first day of June one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, make application in writing to the registrar to be registered under the provisions of this Act.
- (2.) Such application shall be accompanied by a statutory declaration of the applicant in the form set out in Schedule B. to this Act, or to the like effect.
- (3.) He shall be examined with respect to his knowledge of reading and writing, the English language, elementary arithmetic, and the appearances of the poisons, drugs, and chemical salts in common use, and the Act of the session of the thirty-third and thirty-fourth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, chapter twenty-six, and shall obtain from the examiner or examiners appointed by the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland to hold such examination a certificate of having satisfactorily passed the same.
- (4.) The Lord Lieutenant in Council shall appoint examiners to conduct the examinations prescribed by this section for applicants, and shall fix the fees to be paid to such examiners, and to the Society respectively in respect of such examinations, and the examinations shall be held in Dublin and at such other places as the Lord Lieutenant in Council shall consider necessary.
- (5.) Every person who went into business as a chemist and druggist as a principal between the passing of the principal Act and the passing of this Act, and who has styled himself chemist and druggist, and has complied with the provisions of this section, and passed the examination under this section, shall be permitted to retain the title of chemist and druggist.
- (6.) Every person who having styled himself as a chemist and druggist shall claim to retain the title of chemist and druggist under the provisions of this section shall, at the time of his application to be registered, make a statutory declaration stating when and where he was in business as a chemist and druggist styling himself as such.

- (7.) It shall be lawful for the council to require from any such applicant such evidence as they may think fit of the truth of the statements contained in the statutory declaration so made by him, and to require such other confirmatory evidence as they shall think sufficient.

Leave out from beginning of clause 7 to ("druggist") in page 3, line 6, and insert—

("Every person who shall duly have completed, or shall duly complete, a term of service as apprentice or assistant of not less than four years to a pharmaceutical chemist, or to a licentiate apothecary, or to a person or persons who shall have become, or who had he or they survived or continued in business would have been entitled to become, a registered chemist and druggist, or registered druggist, under this Act, shall be entitled to be registered as a registered")

Line 12, leave out ("A or B") and insert ("C")

Lines 12 and 13, leave out ("in the case of assistants or apprentices")

Line 14, leave out ("C") and insert ("D")

Line 16, leave out from ("arithmetic") to ("and") in line 18, and insert ("and the weights and measures of the British Pharmacopoeia, the appearance and properties of the various drugs and chemicals in general use, and the Act of the session of the thirty-third and thirty-fourth years of Her present Majesty, chapter twenty-six")

Line 28, leave out ("one guinea") and insert ("two guineas")

Line 24, leave out ("always")

Line 25, leave out from ("for") to ("Provided") in line 35, and insert ("subsequent examinations on paying the examiner's fees")

Line 35, after ("Provided") insert ("also")

Line 41, after ("with") insert ("a pharmaceutical chemist or licentiate apothecary or") and after ("druggist") insert ("or registered druggist")

#### *Page 4.*

Line 3, leave out ("chemists and")

Line 7, leave out ("and Limerick")

Line 13, leave out from ("with") to ("and") in line 17, and insert ("a pharmaceutical chemist, a licentiate apothecary, a registered chemist and druggist, or a registered druggist shall be entitled to present himself for examination under this Act, and shall be entitled on passing his examination

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“ to be registered as a registered druggist under this Act,  
 “ and every person who shall have served such apprenticeship to a registered chemist and druggist, or a registered druggist not being a pharmaceutical chemist.”)

Line 30, leave out from the beginning of clause 11 to (“ subject ”) in line 32 and insert—

(“ (1.) Within three months after the passing of this Act, the Society shall, subject to the provisions of the principal Act, make regulations for the election of registered chemists and druggists and registered druggists as associates of the Society under the title of associate druggists.

“(2.) Every person who shall be registered under this Act as a chemist and druggist or registered druggist shall be qualified to be elected an associate druggist.”)

Line 34, leave out (“ being in business as a principal ”)

Line 38, leave out (“ said ”) and after (“ Society ”) insert (“ and shall be qualified to be elected and when elected to act as a member of the council of the Society ”)

Line 39, leave out (“ fees or ”) and insert (“ annual ”)

Line 41, after (“ thereof ”) insert (“ and provided also that  
 “ such associate druggists shall not style themselves  
 “ associates of the Pharmaceutical Society, and any druggist  
 “ making use of such title shall be liable to have his name  
 “ erased from the Register of Associate Druggists.”)

*Page 5.*

Line 4, after (“ be ”) insert (“ additional ”)

Line 10, after (“ registered ”) insert (“ as chemists and druggists,  
 “ or registered druggists. And every such person so voting  
 “ at such election shall pay to the society a fee of one  
 “ guinea as an annual subscription in respect of the  
 “ year 1891 ”)

Line 15, leave out (“ registered chemists ”) and insert (“ associate ”)

Line 17, leave out from (“ both ”) to (“ Provided ”) in line 18, and insert (“ Members of the Pharmaceutical Society and  
 “ associate druggists ”)

Line 23, after (“ Act ”) insert (“ Provided also that in the  
 “ event of the death or resignation of the said president  
 “ and vice-president, or either of them, or their inability  
 “ or unwillingness to conduct such election, it shall be  
 “ lawful for the Lord Lieutenant to nominate and appoint

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“ some other person to conduct such election who shall  
 “ have the same power with respect thereto as if he had  
 “ been elected chairman of the meeting.”)

Line 24, leave out from (“the”) to (“the”) in line 26, and  
 insert (“passing of this Act it shall be unlawful for any person  
 “ to assume, and from and after the first day of January  
 “ one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two, it shall be  
 “ unlawful for any person to use”)

Line 27, after (“Ireland”) insert (“or to sell poisons”)

Line 28, after (“druggist”) insert (“or registered druggist”)

Line 23, after (“druggist”) insert (“and of the register of  
 registered druggists”)

*Page 6.*

Lines 2 and 3, leave out (“compounding”) and insert  
 (“mixing”)

Line 6, leave out from the first (“or”) to (“and”) in line 7,  
 and insert (“registered druggist or pharmaceutical chemist  
 “ or licentiate apothecary”)

Line 26, leave out (“compounding of poisons or”) and insert  
 (“mixing of poisons or compounding of”)

Lines 41 and 42, leave out (“compound poisons or”) and  
 insert (“mix poisons or compound”)

## After Clause 17 insert Clause (B.).

(B.) The council may cause examinations to be held at such  
 times and in such manner as may be prescribed by them from time  
 to time for the purpose of examining assistants to pharmaceutical  
 chemists, and such assistants as shall pass such examinations shall  
 be competent to transact the business of a licentiate of the Pharma-  
 ceutical Society in his temporary absence, but shall not be entitled  
 to conduct or manage a business or to keep open shop on their own  
 account.

Examina-  
 tions for  
 assistants  
 of phar-  
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 tical  
 chemists.

Page 8.

Leave out the (" SCHEDULES ") and insert—

### SCHEDULE A.

#### FORM OF DECLARATION.

To the Registrar of the  
Pharmaceutical Society of Ireland.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_, in the county of \_\_\_\_\_, hereby declare that I was in business as a chemist and druggist on my own account [or that I was in business in the years \_\_\_\_\_], at \_\_\_\_\_ in the county of \_\_\_\_\_ on or before the eleventh day of August one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five

(Signed)

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 18 \_\_\_\_.

### SCHEDULE B.

#### FORM OF DECLARATION.

To the Registrar of the  
Pharmaceutical Society of Ireland.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_, in the county of \_\_\_\_\_, hereby declare that I was in business as a chemist and druggist or chemist or druggist, as a principal, in the years \_\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_ in the county of \_\_\_\_\_.

(Signed)

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 18 \_\_\_\_.

### SCHEDULE C.

#### FORM OF DECLARATION.

To the Registrar of the  
Pharmaceutical Society of Ireland.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_, in the county of \_\_\_\_\_, hereby declare that I have completed a full term of service as apprentice [or assistant] of \_\_\_\_\_ years to \_\_\_\_\_ a pharmaceutical chemist, [or a licentiate apothecary, or a registered chemist and druggist or a registered druggist who has been or would have been entitled to be duly registered under the Pharmacy Act (Ireland), 1875, Amendment Act, 1890.]

(Signed)

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 18 \_\_\_\_.

**SCHEDULE D.**

FORM OF DECLARATION.

To the Registrar of the  
Pharmaceutical Society of Ireland.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, residing at \_\_\_\_\_, in the county of \_\_\_\_\_, hereby declare that \_\_\_\_\_ has \_\_\_\_\_ completed with me a full term of \_\_\_\_\_ years as apprentice [or assistant], ending 18 \_\_\_\_\_.

Dated                      day of                      (Signed)  
18   .

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